

amend the effective date of the gift card provisions of the Credit Card Accountability Responsibility and Disclosure Act of 2009, by a $\frac{2}{3}$ ye-a-and-nay vote of 357 yeas with none voting “nay”, Roll No. 357.

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Suspension—Proceedings Postponed: The House debated the following measure under suspension of the rules. Further proceedings were postponed:

Honoring Dr. Larry Case on his retirement as National FFA Advisor: H. Res. 1383, to honor Dr. Larry Case on his retirement as National FFA Advisor.

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Recess: The House recessed at 2:36 p.m. and reconvened at 6:30 p.m.

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Oath of Office—Ninth Congressional District of Georgia: Representative-elect Tom Graves presented himself in the well of the House and was administered the Oath of Office by the Speaker. Earlier, the Clerk of the House transmitted a facsimile copy of a letter from Mr. Wesley B. Taylor, Director of Elections, Office of the Secretary of State, State of Georgia, indicating that, according to the unofficial returns of the Special Election held June 8, 2010, the Honorable Tom Graves was elected Representative to Congress for the Ninth Congressional District, State of Georgia.

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Whole Number of the House: The Speaker announced to the House that, in light of the administration of the oath to the gentleman from Georgia, Mr. Graves, the whole number of the House is adjusted to 433.

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Moment of Silence: The House observed a moment of silence in memory of the victims of the flash flood that struck Albert Pike Recreation Area on Friday, June 11, 2010.

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Presidential Message: Read a message from the President wherein he notified Congress that the national emergency declared with respect to North Korea is to continue in effect beyond June 26, 2010—referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs and ordered printed (H. Doc. 111–121).

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Senate Message: Message received from the Senate by the Clerk and subsequently presented to the House today appears on page H4389.

Quorum Calls—Votes: Three ye-a-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of today and appear on pages H4395, H4397, H4398. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: The House met at 12:30 p.m. and adjourned at 10:50 p.m.

Committee Meetings

PROVIDING FOR CONSIDERATION OF H.R. 5486, SMALL BUSINESS JOBS TAX RELIEF, AND H.R. 5297, SMALL BUSINESS LENDING FUND ACT OF 2010

Committee on Rules: Granted, by a non-record vote, a closed rule. The rule provides one hour of general debate on H.R. 5486, the “Small Business Jobs Tax Relief Act of 2010,” equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Ways and Means. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of the bill except those arising under clause 9 or 10 of rule XXI. The rule provides that the bill shall be considered as read. The rule waives all points of order against the bill. The rule provides one motion to recommit H.R. 5486 with or without instructions.

The rule also provides for consideration of H.R. 5297, the Small Business Lending Fund Act of 2010, under a structured rule. The rule provides one hour of general debate with 30 minutes equally divided and controlled by the Chair and Ranking Minority Member of the Committee on Financial Services and 30 minutes equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Small Business. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of the bill except for clauses 9 and 10 of rule XXI. The rule provides that in lieu of the amendment in the nature of a substitute recommended by the Committee on Financial Services, the amendment in the nature of a substitute printed in part A of the report of the Committee on Rules, modified by the amendment printed in part B of the report, shall be considered as an original bill for the purpose of amendment and shall be considered as read. The rule waives all points of order against the amendment in the nature of a substitute. The rule makes in order only those amendments printed in part C of the report. The rule provides that the amendments made in order may be offered only in the order printed in the report, may be offered only by a Member designated in the report, shall be considered as read, shall be debatable for the time specified in the report equally divided and controlled by the proponent and an opponent, shall not be subject to amendment, and shall not be subject to a demand for division of the question. The rule waives all points of order against the amendments printed in part C of the report except for clauses 9 and 10 of rule XXI. The resolution provides one motion to recommit H.R. 5297 with or without instructions. The rule provides that the Chair may entertain a motion that the Committee rise only if offered by the chair of the Committee on Financial Services or his designee and provides that

the Chair may not entertain a motion to strike out the enacting words of the bill (as described in clause 9 of rule XVIII).

The rule provides that in the engrossment of H.R. 5297, the Clerk is authorized to make technical and conforming changes to amendatory instructions. It also provides that in the engrossment of H.R. 5297, the Clerk shall add the text of H.R. 5486, as passed by the House, at the end of H.R. 5297 and that H.R. 5486 shall be laid on the table.

The rule waives clause 6(a) of rule XIII for a two-thirds vote to consider a report from the Committee on Rules on the same day it is presented to the House with respect to any resolution reported through the legislative day of June 18, 2010, providing for consideration or disposition of any Senate amendment to the House amendment to the Senate amendment to the bill (H.R. 4213) to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to extend certain expiring provisions, and for other purposes.

The rule provides that measures may be considered under suspensions of the rules at any time through the legislative day of June 18, 2010. The Speaker or her designee shall consult with the Minority Leader or his designee on the designation of any matter for consideration pursuant to this section.

Testimony was heard by Chairman Frank (MA), Chairwoman Velázquez, Chairman Levin, and Representatives Al Green (TX), Bean, Jackson Lee (TX), Hall (NY), Chu and Neugebauer.

Joint Meetings

No joint committee meetings were held.

NEW PUBLIC LAWS

(For last listing of Public Laws, see DAILY DIGEST, p. D650)

H.R. 2711, to amend title 5, United States Code, to provide for the transportation and moving expenses for the immediate family of certain Federal employees who die in the performance of their duties. Signed on June 9, 2010. (Public Law 111-178)

H.R. 3250, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 1210 West Main Street in Riverhead, New York, as the "Private First Class Garfield M. Langhorn Post Office Building". Signed on June 9, 2010. (Public Law 111-179)

H.R. 3634, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 109 Main Street in Swifton, Arkansas, as the "George Kell Post Office". Signed on June 9, 2010. (Public Law 111-180)

H.R. 3892, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 101 West Highway 64 Bypass in Roper, North Carolina, as the "E.V. Wilkins Post Office". Signed on June 9, 2010. (Public Law 111-181)

H.R. 4017, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 43 Maple Avenue in Shrewsbury, Massachusetts, as the "Ann Marie Blute Post Office". Signed on June 9, 2010. (Public Law 111-182)

H.R. 4095, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 9727 Antioch Road in Overland Park, Kansas, as the "Congresswoman Jan Meyers Post Office Building". Signed on June 9, 2010. (Public Law 111-183)

H.R. 4139, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 7464 Highway 503 in Hickory, Mississippi, as the "Sergeant Matthew L. Ingram Post Office". Signed on June 9, 2010. (Public Law 111-184)

H.R. 4214, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 45300 Portola Avenue in Palm Desert, California, as the "Roy Wilson Post Office". Signed on June 9, 2010. (Public Law 111-185)

H.R. 4238, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 930 39th Avenue in Greeley, Colorado, as the "W.D. Farr Post Office Building". Signed on June 9, 2010. (Public Law 111-186)

H.R. 4425, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 2-116th Street in North Troy, New York, as the "Martin G. 'Marty' Mahar Post Office". Signed on June 9, 2010. (Public Law 111-187)

H.R. 4547, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 119 Station Road in Cheyney, Pennsylvania, as the "Captain Luther H. Smith, U.S. Army Air Forces Post Office". Signed on June 9, 2010. (Public Law 111-188)

H.R. 4628, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 216 Westwood Avenue in Westwood, New Jersey, as the "Sergeant Christopher R. Hrbek Post Office Building". Signed on June 9, 2010. (Public Law 111-189)

H.R. 5330, to amend the Antitrust Criminal Penalty Enhancement and Reform Act of 2004 to extend the operation of such Act. Signed on June 9, 2010. (Public Law 111-190)

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR TUESDAY, JUNE 15, 2010

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

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Committee on Armed Services: to hold hearings to examine the situation in Afghanistan; with the possibility of a closed session in SVC-217 following the open session, 9:30 a.m., SD-G50.